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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
PATENT OFFICE

DATE OF MEMORANDUM 11/30/04
APPEAL NUMBER 2004-1576

FORM PTO-262
(5-95)

EXAMINER'S DISPOSITION OF APPEAL

To:

Clerk, Board of Appeals

From:

Group Art Unit 2662

GROUP: Please detach and forward to Board of Appeals promptly, but ONLY if the appeal is suspended or no longer pending.

The Examiner has:

- 1. Withdrawn the final rejection and
 - a. allowed all the claims
 - b. made a new rejection and reopened the prosecution
 - c. other
- 2. Maintained the final rejection, but has
 - a. instituted an interference which cannot proceed concurrently with the appeal (Note M.P.E.P. 1205)
 - b. other
- 3. The application is now abandoned.

(Date signed)

Hank Nguyen
(Signed)